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1. Response to Restriction Requirement

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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to a restriction requirement mailed October 3, 1997.

A petition for a 3 month extension of time accompanies this response, with the appropriate fee.

Applicants' representative thanks Examiner Schwadron for extending the courtesy of a telephone interview on January 13, 1998, regarding the restriction requirement and its response. Various points discussed will be reiterated below, along with the reasons for Applicants' traversal of the restriction requirement.